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KICK OF FRIENDS

Don't Want Poultry Farm on Dorsey Place.

The Friends' university faculty, students and patrons are protesting against the establishment of Payne's zoological garden and poultry and wild animal farm on the Dorsey property located at the northeast corner of the university campus, which project was given in detail in the Eagle some days ago.

The university people claim that the bad odor, noise and general annoyance of the place will constitute such a nuisance as will seriously interfere with the college work and with the comfort of attending students and visitors. A general protest of West Siders and friends of the school has been started and the matter will be brought before the city council at its next meeting and the city attorney asked to proceed against Mr. Payne's project as a nuisance.

Mr. Payne, the animal man, as he has come to be known, has for years kept a large number of different kinds of wild animals and proposed to enlarge and start in connection a poultry farm. While there is no desire to do Mr. Payne any damage there is strong objection to having it so close to the school. The following petition and protest has been circulated and will be presented to the council:

"April 24, 1900.
To the Honorable Mayor and City Council of the City of Wichita, Kansas:

"Gentlemen: We, the undersigned citizens, faculty, officers and students of Wichita, Sedgewick county, Kansas, hereby petition your honorable body to take early steps necessary to prohibit the removal to or keeping of any animals in their wild state or tamed state such as coyotes, opossums, coons, wild cats, pole-cats, etc., as well as guinea hens, geese or other loud quacking birds, not including chickens, for the purpose of buying and selling, or as a business, within a radius of one-half mile from any college, academy or university located within the limits of the city of Wichita, Sedgewick county, Kansas, as the same are disagreeable, extremely annoying and a distressing nuisance, especially to the students of institutions, which are being largely patronized by people all over the western part of the United States. And it is the prayer of your petitioners here below signed, that your honorable body give this matter your most earnest and kind consideration."

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The I. A. S. of S. V. will give an entertainment and Shakespearean social Monday night, April 30, at the hall over Dunbar's. Ladies are requested to bring lunch for two. The W. R. C. G. A. R. and Ladies of the G. A. R. and their friends are cordially invited.

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WEEK OF WEDDINGS

Double Wedding at the Home of S. G. Gribbi.

SCHOTT-STRAUSS NUPTIALS

Celebrated in Elegant Style at the Hotel Carey.

The doing of Cupid has been very much in evidence during the past week. Six marriages have occurred in which one or both parties have been Wichita people. GRIEB-BOLTE and BUCKERIDGE-GRIEB.

At 8 o'clock last Tuesday evening a double wedding occurred at the home of S. G. Gribbi, 415 South Water street. The ceremony was witnessed only by the relatives of the contracting parties and by a few friends. Rev. Walton of the Lutheran church officiated and the first ceremony was the one used. Miss Margaret Rose and Miss Marie Aley were the bridesmaids and Mr. Walter Bolte and Mr. Ben Morgan were the best men.

The parlors, dining room and hall were beautifully decorated with palms, cut flowers and spring blossoms. After the ceremony had been performed, an elegant supper was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Bolte left the same evening for an extended trip in the east and will be at home to their friends at 412 South Water street after May 23. Mr. and Gribbi will soon leave the city for Mountain View, O., where they will make their future home.

SCOTT-STRAUSS.
Miss Johanna Schott, the niece of Mr. and Mrs. I. Gross of this city, and Mr. Samuel Strauss of Chicago were married at the Carey hotel last Wednesday night. The wedding was a very elaborate affair, and many of the friends and relatives of both Miss Schott and Mr. Strauss were present. The beautiful and impressive Hebrew marriage ceremony was pronounced by Rabbi Mayer of Kansas City. After the ceremony had been performed the entire party descended to the dining room where a most elegant banquet was spread. Mr. and Mrs. Strauss will make an extended tour of the eastern cities and will then go to their home in Chicago.

CHANDLER-MILLER.
A very quiet marriage took place Thursday morning at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Chandler, 134 North Topeka avenue. Their daughter, Miss Nina Chandler, was married to Mr. Ernest Miller of Amarillo, Tex. The ceremony was performed at 7:30 o'clock by Rev. A. A. Parker of the St. Paul's church. At 8:30 Mr. and Mrs. Miller left over the Santa Fe for Amarillo, where Mr. Miller has provided a home for his bride. At the train the Merry Maidens had assembled to see their former comrade off and Mrs. Miller boarded the train amid showers of rice and old shoes. Not satisfied with this, the Merry Maidens decorated the trunks and did everything else to make the newly married couple as conspicuous as possible.

DALY-LAPPIN.
Mr. John C. Lappin of St. Joseph, Mo., and Miss Anna Gertrude Daly of this city were quietly married at the Pro-Cathedral on Tuesday morning at 8 o'clock in the presence of a large number of relatives and friends of the contracting parties. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Father Thien of this city, after which an elegant breakfast was served at the home of the bride's mother. The bride was attired in a beautiful traveling costume, hat and gloves to match. Miss Bride Daly acted as bridesmaid and Mr. Peter Daly as best man. Mr. and Mrs. Lappin left for the east the same morning on a wedding trip and will be at home to their friends after May 24 in St. Joseph, Mo., where they will make their future home. Mr. Lappin is connected with the Nelson-Morris Packing company of that city and is a man of sterling character and a first-class business man. Mrs. Lappin having lived in this city since childhood needs no eulogy, her bright happy disposition having won for her hundreds of admiring friends. The many beautiful presents they received show that Mr. and Mrs. Lappin are highly esteemed.

LITSEY-M'PHERSON.
Miss Mary McKee Litsey and Mr. Frank A. M'Pherston of this city were married Friday evening at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. McKee of Howard, Kan. The bride's father is president of the National bank of Howard and presented Mr. and Mrs. M'Pherston with 100 \$5 bills, which had just been issued by his bank and which he, as president, had signed. Mr. M'Pherston is a salesman on C. R. Fulton's clothing store. The M'Pherstons will be at home at 225 South Market.

TAKE MISSISS JOHNSON.
One of the most enjoyable events of the week was the party given by the Misses Johnson at their beautiful home on North Waco avenue in honor of Mrs. Scott, principal of the Eldorado high schools. The evening was pleasantly spent in games, music and conversation. The special feature of the evening was the recitations which were so ably rendered by Mr. Scott. At a late hour dainty refreshments were served. The guests were: Misses Johnsons, McCoy, Spencer, Slade, Thomson, Parker, Preston and McElhany, Messrs. Scott, Johnson, W. Parker, Bert Parker, Reed, McCoy and Preston.

MAY DAY BALL.
The Central Labor union will give a grand May Day ball next Tuesday evening at the union hall on North Market street. Music will be furnished by M. L. Haupt's orchestra. Ladies will be admitted free and every gentleman is urged to stretch up his escorting abilities as far as possible. Since the Central union was organized, it has given two dances each year, one on Labor day and the other on the first of May. These balls have always been great successes and every effort is being made to have the coming ball surpass all previous records.

MR. AND MRS. H. A. POST.
Last Wednesday evening Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Post gave a dinner to the railway postal clerks of the city. The home on North Water street was artistically decorated with spring flowers. The dinner was very elaborate and was served in three courses. Mr. C. M. Reed acted as toast master and called for the following toasts:

Twenty-five Years in the Railway Mail Service—Mr. H. G. Rose.
The Public View of the Mail Service—Rev. A. A. Parker.
Ladies as Aids—Mr. D. E. Barnes.
The Men—Mrs. A. P. Torrey.
Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Reed, Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Cockran,

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MR. AND MRS. L. D. YOUNG.
The Christian Endeavor society of the Reformed church were entertained Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney D. Long, 334 South Water street. Crokinole and corns were the games of the evening. At 9 o'clock a dainty luncheon was served. Those present were: Misses Jane Southwell, Bertha Southwell, Bertha and Edna Bratsch, Christopher, Pauline Stevens, Blanche Childs, Pansy T. Loman, Emma Gerles, Amelia Wigand, Effie Parrott, Mignon Fannott, Mrs. Reed, Misses Rice, Parrott, Daisy Farris, Maud Swain, Ivie Jones, Mrs. S. D. Long, Mrs. S. E. Long, Messrs. Paul Brown, Lo and Theo. Morgan, Silas Brown, Luther Mueller, Reese Lewis, Arthur and Frank Jones, Frank Smith, Carl Gettes, Thomas Bostick, Rev. Griffith, S. D. Long.

THE CUBA CLUB.
The Cuba club entertained its members and friends at progressive crokinole Friday evening at the home of the Misses Lillie and Minnie Hale. The first prizes were awarded to Miss Gertrude D. Bratsch and Mr. Herbert L. Willis. The baby prizes were fairly earned by Miss Mary C. Libby of Ft. Worth, Tex., and Mr. Raymon C. Mun, Mr. Hun will be expected to have a good game with his little rube, hoe and spade. An excellent luncheon was served at 11 o'clock, after which a duet was rendered by Misses Fern Hustle and Lillie Hale, followed by several games. The evening passed so quickly that it was not until shortly after 12 o'clock that the guests took their departure. Those present were: Misses Esther Swab, Appa Fosnot, Edna Libby, Gertrude Bratsch, Mable Root, Katie Kolstad, Fern Hustle, Adelaide Willis and Mary Essie Virginia Shaw Downing. Messrs. Raymon C. Mun, Leon Johnson, Walter Wilson, Carl Wisdom, William and Walter Nelson, Loyd Hale, R. C. Williams and Herbert L. Willis.

SOCIETY NOTES.
There will be a grand May ball given at Gordon's opera house, Sedgewick, Kan., on the evening of May 3. Professor Blume's orchestra will furnish the music. Quite a number of Wichita people expect to go to Sedgewick and take in the dance. The cooking club met with Mrs. Charles Englehart last Wednesday afternoon. The wives of the railway postal clerks are planning to organize an auxiliary chapter of the national association. These auxiliary chapters are strictly social.

Miss Downing closed the season at Newton last Friday evening by giving the swiftest ball that has been given there this winter. About forty couple of Newton's society people were present and Misses Ida Joseph, Sadie Joseph and Elsie Mosserv, Messrs. Ed Lehman, Daniel Newton, Walter Stark, Robert Hayden and Alas Joseph, all of this city, were also there. The dance was such a great success that the Newton people have insisted on Miss Downing's giving one more and she has decided to give it on the 16th of May.

WHEN TRAVELING.
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St. John's Episcopal church, corner Third street and Topeka avenue, Rev. A. F. Randall officiating. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Regular morning service at 11 o'clock. Offertory by Mrs. A. A. Wood, singing service at 5 o'clock. Offertory by Mr. B. B. Hull. Full vested choir both services. B. B. Cushman choir-master.

AN OBJECT LESSON

In a restaurant.
A physician puts the query: Have you never noticed in any large restaurant at lunch or dinner time the large number of hearty, vigorous old men at the tables; men whose ages run from 60 to 80 years; many of them bald and all perhaps gray, but as energetic as young fellows or even better? Perhaps the spectacle is so common as to have escaped your observation or comment, but nevertheless it is an object lesson which means something.

If you will notice what these hearty old fellows are eating you will observe that they are not munching bran crackers, nor gingerly picking their way through a menu card of new fangled health foods; on the contrary they seem to prefer a juicy roast of beef, a properly turned loin of mutton, and even the deadly broiled lobster is not altogether ignored.

The point of all this is that a vigorous old man does not die of senility or plenty of wholesome food and not upon dieting and an endeavor to live upon bran crackers. There is a certain class of food cranks who seem to believe that meat, coffee and many other good things are rank poisons, but these cadaverous, sticky looking individuals are a walking condemnation of their own theories.

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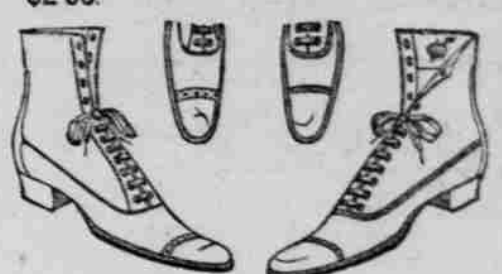
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